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$$\mathbf{a} = \boldsymbol{\sigma}\boldsymbol{\sigma}^T = \frac{1}{dt}\mathbb{E}\left[(\boldsymbol{\sigma}d\mathbf{B}_t)(\boldsymbol{\sigma}d\mathbf{B}_t)^T\right]$$

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Stokes drift ?

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- Continuity equation (a sufficient constraint) :

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- Boussinesq thermodynamic equation :

▷ Applies SRRT with  $\nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma} dB_t = 0$  for  $b(\mathbf{x}, t) = b_0(z) + b'(\mathbf{x}, t)$  :

$$d_t b' + \left( \mathbf{w}^* dt + \boldsymbol{\sigma} dB_t \right) \cdot \nabla b' + N^2 \left( w^* dt + (\boldsymbol{\sigma} dB_t)_z \right) = \nabla \cdot \left( \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a} \nabla b' \right) dt + \nabla \cdot \left( \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_{\cdot z} N^2 \right) dt$$

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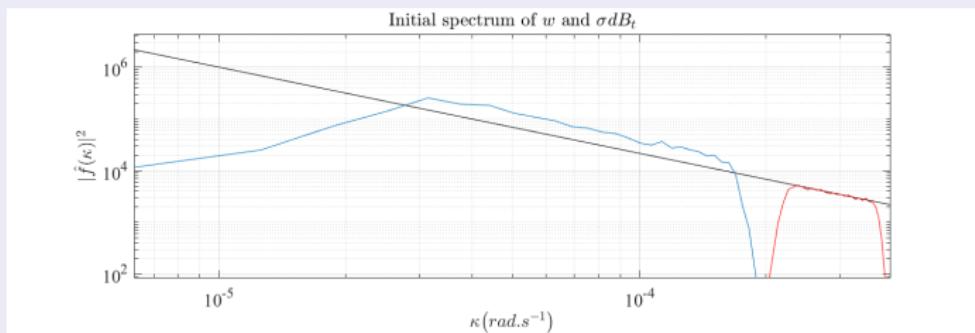
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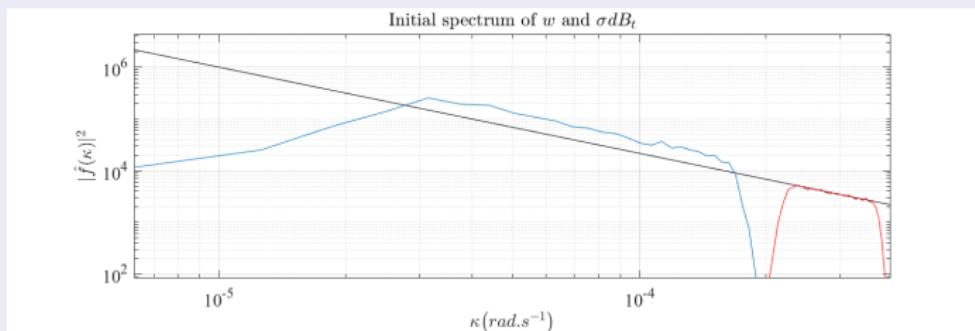
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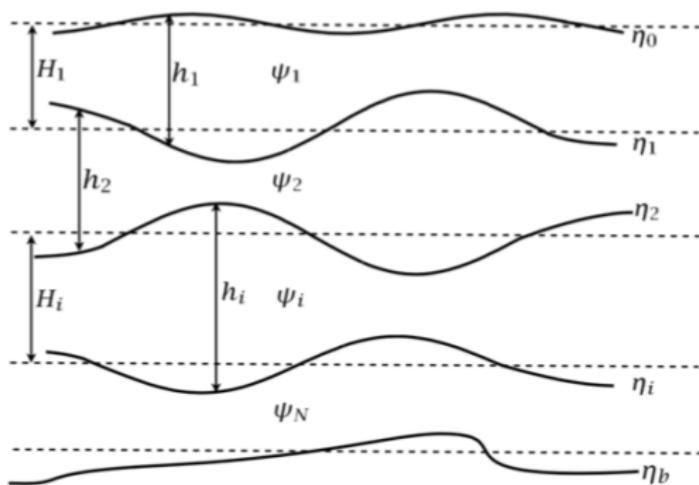


Figure: A multi-layer Shallow Water QG system

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$$-\nabla_H \cdot \left( \frac{\mathbf{a}_H^{(k)}}{2} \nabla_H q^{(k)} \right) dt = -\frac{A_4}{f_0} \nabla_H^6 p^{(k)} dt + R^{(k)} + \underbrace{\frac{f_0}{H^{(k)}} w_{ek} \delta_{k1}}_{\text{surface pumping}} - \underbrace{\frac{h_{ek}}{2f_0} \nabla_H^2 p^{(N)} \delta_{kN}}_{\text{bottom drag}}$$

- Evolution of  $p^{(k)}$ ,  $k = 1, \dots, N$  :

$$q^{(k)} = \frac{\nabla_H^2 p^{(k)}}{f_0} + \beta(y - y_0) + \frac{f_0}{H^{(k)}} (\eta^{(k)} - \eta^{(k-1)})$$

- Perturbation interface height :

$$\eta^{(0)} = 0; \quad \eta^{(k)} = \frac{p^{(k+1)} - p^{(k)}}{g^{(k)}}, \quad k = 1, \dots, N-1; \quad \eta^{(N)} = D(x, y)$$

$$g^{(k)} = \frac{g}{\rho_b} (\rho^{(k+1)} - \rho^{(k)}), \quad k = 1, \dots, N-1$$

# A multi-layer model

## An N-layers QG shallow water system

- Evolution of  $q^{(k)}$ ,  $k = 1, \dots, N$  :

$$d_t q^{(k)} + \frac{1}{f_0} J(p^{(k)}, q^{(k)}) dt - \left( \nabla_H \cdot \frac{\mathbf{a}_H^{(k)}}{2} \right) \cdot \nabla_H q^{(k)} dt + (\boldsymbol{\sigma} d\mathbf{B}_t)_H^{(k)} \cdot \nabla_H q^{(k)}$$
$$-\nabla_H \cdot \left( \frac{\mathbf{a}_H^{(k)}}{2} \nabla_H q^{(k)} \right) dt = -\frac{A_4}{f_0} \nabla_H^6 p^{(k)} dt + R^{(k)} + \underbrace{\frac{f_0}{H^{(k)}} w_{ek} \delta_{k1}}_{\text{surface pumping}} - \underbrace{\frac{h_{ek}}{2f_0} \nabla_H^2 p^{(N)} \delta_{kN}}_{\text{bottom drag}}$$

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- Horizontal uncertainties :

$$(\boldsymbol{\sigma} d\mathbf{B}_t)_H^{(k)} = \left( \mathbf{I}_2 - \Delta_H^{-1} \nabla_H \nabla_H^T \right) \left( \left( \nabla_H \eta^{(k-1)} - \nabla_H \eta^{(k)} \right) \xi_t^{(k)} \right), \quad k = 1, \dots, N$$

# Thanks for your attentions !

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